



## Conseil de sécurité

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### **Lettre datée du 25 juin 2020, adressée au Secrétaire général et aux représentantes et représentants permanents des membres du Conseil de sécurité par le Président du Conseil**

J'ai l'honneur de vous informer que le Conseil de sécurité a mené à bien la procédure de vote sur le projet de résolution portant la cote [S/2020/578](#), présenté par la France au titre de la question intitulée « La situation concernant la République démocratique du Congo ». Le vote s'est déroulé selon la procédure énoncée dans la lettre datée du 27 mars 2020 adressée aux représentantes et représentants permanents des membres du Conseil de sécurité par le Président du Conseil ([S/2020/253](#)), procédure qui a été arrêtée en raison de la situation exceptionnelle résultant de la pandémie de COVID-19.

La Directrice de la Division des affaires du Conseil de sécurité a reçu les lettres des 15 membres du Conseil communiquant la position de leur pays sur le projet de résolution portant la cote [S/2020/578](#). Le résultat du vote est le suivant :

*Voix pour :*

Afrique du Sud, Allemagne, Belgique, Chine, Estonie, États-Unis d'Amérique, Fédération de Russie, France, Indonésie, Niger, République dominicaine, Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord, Saint-Vincent-et-les Grenadines, Tunisie et Viet Nam.

*Voix contre :*

Néant.

*Abstentions :*

Néant.

Le projet de résolution a recueilli 15 voix pour. Le texte est adopté en tant que résolution [2528 \(2020\)](#) du 25 juin 2020. Le texte de la résolution, qui figure en annexe à la présente lettre\*, sera publié sans délai comme document du Conseil de sécurité.

Le Président du Conseil de sécurité  
(Signé) Nicolas **de Rivière**

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## Annex



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**Security Council**

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**Resolution 2528 (2020)****Adopted by the Security Council on 25 June 2020***The Security Council,*

*Recalling* its previous resolutions and the statements of its President concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC),

*Reaffirming* its strong commitment to the sovereignty, independence, unity and territorial integrity of the DRC as well as all States in the region and *emphasizing* the need to respect fully the principles of non-interference, good neighbourliness and regional cooperation,

*Taking note* of the final report (S/2019/469) of the Group of Experts on the DRC (“the Group of Experts”) established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) and extended pursuant to resolutions 1807 (2008), 1857 (2008), 1896 (2009), 1952 (2010), 2021 (2011), 2078 (2012), 2136 (2014), 2198 (2015), 2293 (2016), 2360 (2017) 2424 (2018), and 2478 (2019),

*Expressing concern* at the continued presence of domestic and foreign armed groups in Eastern DRC and the suffering they impose on the civilian population of the country, including from human rights abuses, *further expressing concern* at the continued illegal exploitation and trade of natural resources, which enable these armed groups to operate, *welcoming* the diplomatic engagement undertaken by the States of the region to foster peace and reconciliation in the region, *calling on* all signatory States to fully implement their commitments per the Peace and Security Framework for the DRC and the Region,

*Reiterating* the need for the Government of the DRC to swiftly and fully investigate the killing of the two members of the Group of Experts and the four Congolese nationals accompanying them and bring those responsible to justice, *welcoming* the Secretary General’s commitment that the United Nations will do everything possible to ensure that the perpetrators are brought to justice, *further welcoming* the work of the United Nations team deployed to assist the Congolese

authorities in their investigations, in agreement with the Congolese authorities, and *welcoming* their continued cooperation,

*Determining* that the situation in the DRC continues to constitute a threat to international peace and security in the region,

*Acting* under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations,

1. *Decides* to renew until 1 July 2021 the measures as set out in paragraphs 1 to 6 of resolution [2293 \(2016\)](#), including its reaffirmations therein;

2. *Reaffirms* that measures described in paragraph 5 of resolution [2293 \(2016\)](#) shall apply to individuals and entities as designated by the Committee, as set forth in paragraph 7 of resolution [2293 \(2016\)](#) and paragraph 3 of resolution [2360 \(2017\)](#);

3. *Decides* to extend until 1 August 2021 the mandate of the Group of Experts, as set forth in paragraph 6 of Resolution 2360, *expresses its intention* to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding the further extension no later than 1 July 2021, and *requests* the Secretary-General to take the necessary administrative measures as expeditiously as possible to re-establish the Group of Experts, in consultation with the Committee, drawing, as appropriate, on the expertise of the members of the Group established pursuant to previous resolutions;

4. *Requests* the Group of Experts to provide to the Council, after discussion with the Committee, a mid-term report no later than 30 December 2020, and a final report no later than 15 June 2021, as well as submit monthly updates to the Committee, except in the months where the mid-term and final reports are due;

5. *Reaffirms* the reporting provisions as set out in resolution [2360 \(2017\)](#) and [2478 \(2019\)](#);

6. *Recalls* the Guidelines of the Committee for the Conduct of its Work as adopted by the Committee on 6 August 2010, and *calls on* Member states to use, as appropriate, the procedures and criteria therein, including on the issues of listing and delisting and *recalls* resolution [1730 \(2006\)](#) in that regard;

7. *Decides* to remain seized of the matter.

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